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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Brian Bates

Examiner: Ryan J. Severson

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SUPPORT DEVICE

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to an Office Action dated July 9, 2008 for a period of 2 month(s).

Applicant is:  small entity (per 37 CFR 1.27)  other than small entity

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 8, 2008

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